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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

John TANG et al.

Serial No.: 08/885,597

Filed: June 30, 1997

For: ANIMATED INDICATORS THAT  
REFLECT FUNCTION, ACTIVITY,  
OR STATE OF OBJECTS, DATA,  
OR PROCESSES

Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.194(b), Appellant requests an oral hearing. This request is timely since it is made within two-months after the date November 6, 2001 of the Examiner's Answer.

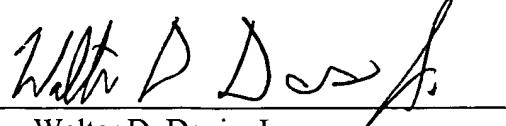
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Respectfully submitted,

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